



### Principal's Perspective

Kia ora,

This week brought the known reality that at some stage we may need to move up the Covid-19 Alert Levels. This return to Level 2 resulted in the school actioning its Emergency Response Plan. I would like to thank you for your ongoing support and understanding. Unfortunately this resulted in the postponement of a number of events planned for this week. It was with much relief on Wednesday when the Government reassessed the Alert Levels, downgrading the country outside of Auckland to Level 1, and Auckland to Level 2. The Year 10 - 13 Meet and Greet will now take place on Thursday 25th February, and we look forward to seeing you there.

The Ministry of Health has stated that there is a requirement for face coverings to be worn on public transport across New Zealand at Alert Level 1. This means that face coverings will be required on public transport at all Alert Levels. There is no change to the application of face coverings for schools. To clarify: Face coverings are not required at school or on any school transport. But they must be worn on all public transport, including by any school students aged 12 and over. Please note the Government will be reviewing the decision on face coverings for public transport and our Alert Levels on Monday 22 February.

The Ministry's final reminder was: It's important for all of us to continue with the usual Covid-19 hygiene protocols, to track and trace everywhere we go, and at any alert level, students and staff are free to choose whether they would like to wear face coverings at school.

Given the initial challenge in starting this week, it's been good to settle into a full week of teaching and learning. Most of the timetable is now set and we are hopeful that any further amendments will be minor. From here on in, the full spectrum of school life swings into action.

Monday evening saw the first PTA meeting for the year, and it was great to see a number of new parents joining the committee, particularly from Year 9. We would also like to acknowledge the parents who have come back to support the school for another year. The PTA is a very valuable component within our school structure, and I am appreciative of their contribution and their comments, as a sounding board in relation to current and future initiatives that the school seeks feedback about. Their next meeting on the 15th March will be the AGM at 7.00pm and you are warmly welcome to attend.

On Monday 22 we will mark the 10th anniversary of the February Christchurch Earthquake. This will take the format of a musical concert, short acknowledgement, and a moment of reflective silence (12.51 pm) over lunchtime in the quad. Students and staff will have the option of participating in this event. During form time the lunchtime event will be explained to students, they will have the opportunity to participate in a moment's reflection at 12.51 wherever they are on the school site should they choose to.

As always, we will advise you as soon as we possibly can of any changes that impact on the school's operation, particularly in relation to Covid-19, and we thank you for your understanding.

Ngā mihi nui

Jeff Smith  
Principal

## Second Hand Uniform Sale

The PTA are holding the following sale:

**Thursday 11 March**

**6:30pm – 8.00pm, last entry: 7:50pm**

**Location: G1 Study Centre (signs will guide you from the Langdons Road car park)**

### Have uniform to sell?

Cardigans, skirts, shorts, and jackets are urgently required.

Please drop items to sell to the school office (fill out the form provided at the office) by Monday 8 March, 2:30pm.

Items dropped off by this time with a filled out form will be included in the sale.

You will need to supply your bank account number.

Thank you so much to every kind person who has donated clothing and shoes. Donations are always gratefully received.

The next sale will be held in Term 2.

Please do not contact the school, the PTA is responsible for second-hand uniforms.

Any questions, see our webpage on the school website, under "Our School". For other second-hand uniform matters, please contact Claire: [PHS.PTA.SHU@gmail.com](mailto:PHS.PTA.SHU@gmail.com)

## Rescheduled Subject Teacher - Meet & Greet - Year 10-13

On Thursday 25th February, we are holding a "Meet & Greet" evening for parents/whānau, students and subject teachers of our Year 10-13 cohorts. The purpose of this evening is to strengthen connections between home and school by ensuring parents/caregivers know how to and feel confident in making contact with subject teachers. It also gives us an opportunity to explain the teaching and learning programme planned for the year, and the assessment opportunities available.

There is no need to book a time through our usual parental booking system, as the sessions will be held in class groupings in the classrooms students are taught in. Please encourage your son/daughter to attend with you.

The Year 10 meetings will begin at 6.00pm with the senior rotations beginning at 6.30pm, (see table below). Further information has been emailed to you, however if you would like further clarity, please contact the school office.

Lynette Archer  
Assistant Principal

TIME	ROTATIONS	VENUE
<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>Year 10</b> 10 CLC 10GLA 10GLP 10HBE 10MCC 10MCL 10MCS 10PWH 10RBK 10RSS 10SLM 10WLA 10WNT	<b>Year 10 Form Rooms</b> B8 P8 F1 M1 J9 F7 F15 J1 J8 F12 H7 F3 P4
<b>6.30pm</b>	Year 11-13 Monday period 1 class	TT classroom for Monday period 1
<b>6.50pm</b>	Year 11-13 Monday period 2 class	TT classroom for Monday period 2
<b>7.10pm</b>	Year 11-13 Monday period 3 class	TT classroom for Monday period 3
<b>7.30pm</b>	Year 11-13 Monday period 4 class	TT classroom for Monday period 4
<b>7.50pm</b>	Year 11-13 Monday period 5 class	TT classroom for Monday period 5
<b>8.10pm</b>	Year 11-13 Monday period 6 class	TT classroom for Monday period 6

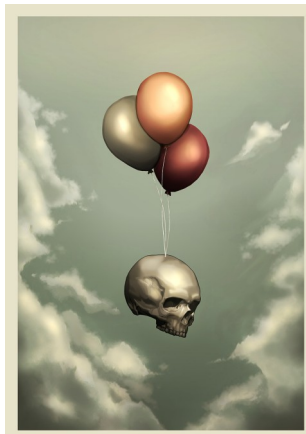
## Art Department News

### 2021 Ashburton Female Art Awards

Six finalists from Papanui High School have made it into the youth category for the 2021 Zonta Ashburton Female Art Awards (ZAFAA21). The youth category covers ages 16-20 and therefore potentially includes competition from the tertiary sector in addition to other secondary schools. In 2020 Papanui High took out the top award of \$500 for the youth category which went to Catherine Anderson.

Opening night for this year's competition and announcement of the winner is Friday March 5th at 7.00pm.

Congratulations to our six finalists for 2021: Isabella Breese, Emma Kim, Jorja Shadbolt, Mia Heywood, Theanine Duven, and Sophie Hamilton - and best of luck for the upcoming judging.



### The Creators' Room Top 15 artworks/students

The Creator's Room is a free programme available to Senior Visual Artists (Year 11-13) to showcase their work and connect with a community of collectors. They provide upfront financial support, through the purchase and professional framing of students' original artworks and fund the reproduction of their limited edition prints. The artworks are made available to collectors through an online gallery and annual exhibition, with a commission of all sales going directly to the artists.

Each year the Creator's Room accepts submissions from high school art students in Canterbury. A panel of four judges including the director of the Christchurch Art Gallery decided on the top 15 works and select the winner for 2020.

Congratulations to Madilin Macpherson and Theanine Duven for making it into the top 15 entries.

Artist: Madilin Macpherson  
Age: 17  
School: Papanui High School  
Artwork Title: Filet-oh-fish  
Medium: Mixed media



The Creators' Room 2021 Top 15 Artists Collection

Artist: Theanine Duven  
Age: 16  
School: Papanui High School  
Artwork Title: Immerse  
Medium: Mixed media with found objects



The Creators' Room 2021 Top 15 Artists Collection



## Visual Arts high achievers announcement

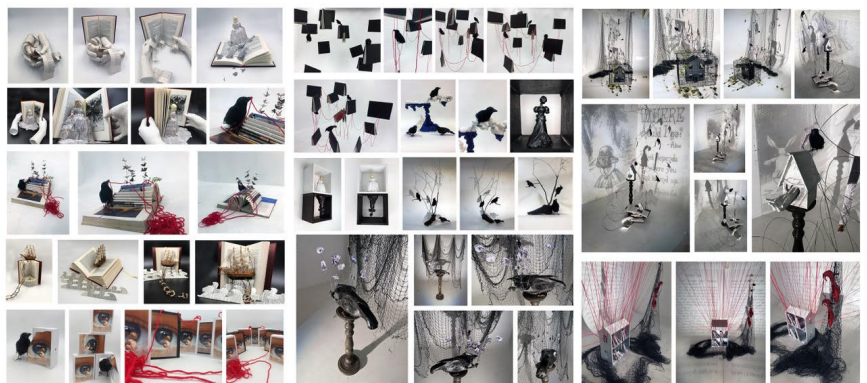
Papanui High School is delighted to announce that Boston Beanland, Year 13 2020, has been selected for inclusion in the 2021 Top Art touring show. Top Art features a selection of the NCEA Level 3 portfolios that achieved Excellence in Visual Art in the previous year. Boston is representing excellence in Sculpture.

The exhibition provides an opportunity for secondary students and teachers to gain an understanding of what is required to achieve Excellence at Level 3. It also allows members of the public to see the high quality art being created in schools. We are proud to see Papanui High School represented in this exclusive group.

We are also thrilled to announce that Emma Kim, also a Visual Arts student has achieved Scholarship in Sculpture with her superb folio. She is the only Papanui Year 13 2020 student to have achieved this high honour. Congratulations to Miss Rebecca Stewart on the outstanding achievements of two of her students.



Boston's folio



Emma's folio

Mark Soltero  
Head of Department, Visual Arts &  
Art History

## Academic Celebration Day - Monday 1st March

On Monday 1st March we will be holding our Academic Achievers Assemblies to celebrate our NCEA successes from 2020.

### ***The following assemblies will take place:***

Year 12 – Academic Achievers Assembly period 4 (11.35am)

- Acknowledging endorsement recipients, followed by an afternoon tea

Year 13 – Academic Achievers Assembly period 5 (1.00pm)

- Acknowledging endorsement recipients, followed by an afternoon tea

Parents/caregivers of students who received a Merit or Excellence endorsement for their Level 1 or 2 NCEA certificate have been invited to attend and share an afternoon tea with the staff. Please check your email for your invitation, and R.S.V.P. to the main office before Thursday 25th February.

Lynette Archer  
Assistant Principal

## Harewood Road City Council - Public Consultation

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Christchurch City Council have put a design out for public consultation for the Harewood Road cycleway. This cycle way is known as Wheels to Wings – Papanui ki Waiwhetū

The link for submission is as follows (these close 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021):

<https://newsline.ccc.govt.nz/news/story/safety-improvements-included-in-plans-for-new-cycleway>  
<https://www.ccc.govt.nz/the-council/consultations-and-submissions/haveyoursay/show/375>

## Can You Help? - Wanted: Business Studies Mentors for 2021

### Wanted - Business Studies Mentors for 2021

Do you have your own business or specialist skills in business eg marketing, sales, etc?

I need volunteers to use their experience to give advice to Papanui High Year 12 and 13 student business groups with the development of their idea and business plan and to support bringing their product or service to market.

Ideally you will be able to meet with groups during class time in Term 1, 2 ,and 3, preferably two or three times each term, either in person or online, and be available to support and answer questions at times during the year.

If you are able to help our students have an authentic business experience please contact Andrea Gallop [gla@papanui.school.nz](mailto:gla@papanui.school.nz)

Andrea Gallop  
Assistant HOD Commerce

## Engagement Reports

Engagement Reports resumed this week (Wednesday 17 February) for Year 9 and 10 students. Parents/Caregivers will receive an email showing the level of their child's 'engagement' to their learning for each of their classes, measured through a grade out of '3' for each subject. An explanation of the grades and the criteria for awarding them will be included in the email. Senior students will receive their first engagement reports next week on Wednesday 24 February. Following this, engagement reports will be sent home every Wednesday, alternating between junior and senior reports.

The focus of these fortnightly engagement reports is primarily twofold:

1. to provide parents with regular and on-going information about their child's engagement in their learning, and
2. to provide students and parents a clear picture of the degree to which a student is putting themselves in the best possible position to progress their learning in the future.

If you have questions or concerns as to why a particular grade was given to your child, please feel free to contact the subject teacher directly via email.

The school will continue to review how best to use the data collected from these engagement reports, to ensure individual students are supported both pastorally and academically.

## School Policies

Our school policies can be found at

<https://papanui.schooldocs.co.nz>

Username: papanui password: pride



# Sport

## School sports news

### Term 1 Sport Summer Sport

Term 1 summer sport for most sports started this week with the following results below.

A reminder that students must collect a permission form from the sports office and return it before their first game.

### Term 1 Summer Sport results

#### Futsal

Girls: defeated by Christchurch Girls' High School and St Andrew's College

Boys: defeated by St Andrew's College

#### Indoor Netball

Year 9's: defeated by Marian College

#### Korfball

Seniors: drew 3-3 against Hillmorton HS

Year 10's: defeated by Cashmere High School

Year 9's: defeated by Christchurch Girls' High School

#### Touch

Super Touch girls: No game

Senior boys: won 7-4 against Mairehau High School

Junior boys: won 19-0 against Middleton Grange

#### Volleyball

Premier girls: won 3-1 against St Andrew's B

Senior girls: defeated by Mairehau Senior

Senior boys: defeated by RNLS

Junior girls: won 2-0 against RNLS A

Junior boys: won 2-1 against CHCO Junior White

#### Waterpolo:

Girls: defeated by Christchurch Girls' High School

### Student Achievements

Lucas Smith - Surf Life Saving Championships

Congratulations to Lucas Smith who recently competed in the Canterbury 2021 Surf Life Saving Championship Competition at Spencer Park. Lucas won a Gold medal for the Cameron race, Gold for Board Relay, and a Silver in the Sprint Relay. He also came 5th in the Board Race, and 6th in the Sprint Final.

Lucas also competed at the South Island Surf Life Saving Championship competition, at Warrington Beach in Dunedin last weekend. He won a Gold medal for Board Relay, a Silver medal for Board Rescue, and Bronze medals for Tube Rescue, Sprint Relays and the Cameron Race. He also placed 5th in the Diamond Race (swim and board), and sixth in the Board race and Sprints.



Have you competed in a Sports Competition lately? Send your story and results (with pictures if possible) to Paige [hrp@papanui.school.nz](mailto:hrp@papanui.school.nz) in the Sports Office.

*This is a great way to showcase what our students are doing outside of school in sport with our community.*

## Community Sport News

### Marist Albion Netball Club



**MARIST ALBION**  
**Netball**  
**JUNIOR TRIALS**

We welcome all junior players to trial for our junior grades

Sunday, 28 March  
U12 @ 9-11.30am  
U13 @ 11.30am-1pm  
U14-U17 @ 1-2.30pm

Indoor venue:  
VILLA MARIA COLLEGE GYM  
(access off Peer Street)

Yr 3-6 students can register for our future Fern teams using the registration form on our website, these grades do not trial. Please indicate your grade and preferred playing day.

Please arrive 15 minutes prior to your trial start time to receive your trial number and to warm-up. We ask all parents and caregivers to remain outside please as limited space in gym.

Enquiries welcome at [nmaristalbionnetball@gmail.com](mailto:nmaristalbionnetball@gmail.com)

Please register online prior to trials.  
<https://www.sporty.co.nz/maristnc/2021-Registration-Form/All-players-register-here>

### American Football Canterbury

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CANTERBURY  
PRESENTS



## **JUNIOR** **FLAG FOOTBALL** **FOR 10-14 YEAR OLDS**

Keen on American Football?

Flag Football provides a safe, fun introduction to the sport.

We have a five-a-side junior competition for boys and girls aged 10-14. Games will be played on Friday evenings at Marshland Domain on Prestons Road. First games are on 26 February.

Get a bunch of friends together and enter a team or register as an individual and join one of our already established teams.

**REGISTRATIONS CLOSE ON 21 FEBRUARY**

No experience or equipment is necessary.

For more information about the competition and how to register, head to our Canterbury Junior Flag Football Facebook page [www.facebook.com/CanterburyJuniorFlagFootball/](https://www.facebook.com/CanterburyJuniorFlagFootball/) or email [juniorflagfootball@gmail.com](mailto:juniorflagfootball@gmail.com).



Canterbury School Sport

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Paige Hubber  
Sports Co-ordinator  
[hrp@papanui.school.nz](mailto:hrp@papanui.school.nz)



# Papanui High School - 2021 Term Dates

## TERM ONE: Tuesday 2 February - Friday 16 April

Monday 22 - Friday 26 March  
Friday 2 - Tuesday 6 April

Summer Tournament week  
**Good Friday, Easter Monday, and Easter Tuesday - school closed**

## TERM TWO: Monday 3 May - Friday 9 July

TBC  
Thursday 13 May  
Friday 4 June  
Monday 7 June

AC Conference Day  
**PPTA Accord Day - school closed for instruction**  
**Staff only day - school closed for instruction**  
**Queen's Birthday - school closed**

## TERM THREE: Monday 26 July - Friday 1 October

Tuesday 10 August  
Friday 27 August  
Monday 30 August - 3 Sept  
Monday 20 September

**PPTA Accord Day - school closed for instruction**  
**Mid-term Break - school closed**  
Winter Tournament week  
Senior Assessment week

## TERM FOUR: Monday 18 October - Friday 17 December

**Monday 25 October**  
Tuesday 26 October  
**Friday 12 November**  
Monday 8 November  
**Thursday 25 November**  
Friday 17 December

**Labour Day - school closed**  
Senior Prizegiving  
**Show Day - school closed**  
NCEA exams start (end 2 December)  
**PPTA Accord Day - School closed**  
Junior Prizegiving - end of school year

# Papanui High School App

The School App allows you to quickly find useful information regarding the school. You can find the school notices, calendar, information regarding term dates, and quickly jump to the parent portal. It is possible to complete attendance in the app- an ID code is being emailed to you for each student.

If you haven't downloaded the app use the QR code (left). You can also search and download SchoolAppsNZ in your app store. Once downloaded please choose Papanui High School.

If you are already using the app this is a good time to refresh the alerts you are receiving. For example if you have been receiving Year 9 information you can change the alerts to receive Year 10 alerts. To do this tap the three horizontal lines in the top left corner of the app and choose alert subscriptions.

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For access from a compatible Android or iOS mobile device



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